

**Employment Status for the Civilian Population
District of Columbia
February 2009/a**

Net Change From

	Feb./b 2009	Jan./c 2009	Feb./d 2008	Jan./c 2009	Feb./d 2008
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Seasonally Adjusted

Washington, D.C.

Civilian Labor Force	331,900	332,200	332,100	-300	-200
Total Employed	299,200	301,600	311,900	-2,400	-12,700
Total Unemployed	32,800	30,600	20,100	2,200	12,700
Unemployment Rate	9.9	9.2	6.1	0.7	3.8

Seasonally Unadjusted

Washington, D.C.

Civilian Labor Force	330,600	328,800	329,300	1,800	1,300
Total Employed	297,100	297,100	310,900	0	-13,800
Total Unemployed	33,400	31,600	18,400	1,800	15,000
Unemployment Rate	10.1	9.6	5.6	0.5	4.5

a/ Data may not add to the totals due to independent rounding.

b/ Preliminary.

c/ Revised.

d/ Data reflect 2008 benchmark revisions.

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